

**FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD**  
***Public Meeting Minutes***  
***Monday, April 11, 2011***

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Those Present: Mr. James E. McClellan, Chairman  
Mr. Robert C. Snyder, Board Member  
Mr. Charles R. Cline, Board Member  
Mrs. Linda B. Thall, Sr. Assistant County Attorney  
Ms. Kathy L. Vahle, Administrator  
Mr. Harold C. DeLauter, Alcoholic Bev. Inspector  
Mrs. Sandra Rees, Administrative Specialist IV  
Mrs. Ashley Sklarew, Administrative Specialist IV

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A Public Meeting was held at 12 E. Church Street, Frederick, Maryland, and was called to order at 8:00 am by Chairman McClellan.

1. **Bodega/Cellar Door** – Ms. Vahle received a request to move a wall that separates the main dining area and the lounge and also another wall in the hallway area to enlarge the server station. This will be done during the time when they are closed. The Liquor Inspector will have to inspect it and they also will need Fire Marshal, Health Department, Use & Occupancy permits. The Board approved the request as long as Permits and the Liquor Inspector approves.
2. **Violations** – Mr. Snyder stated he will allow only one rescheduling for a Violation Hearing. Mr. Cline did not want to allow any postponements. Mr. Cline will vote for heavier fines for these violations.
3. Decision Required: Violation Hearing

RE: Paul Chung and Min Chung  
for the use of Chung & Chung  
Son, Inc.  
t/a Westridge Liquors  
1045 W. Patrick Street  
Frederick, Maryland 21702  
Class A, Off Sale, Beer, Wine & Liquor  
License Number 11AL 1073 SUWT  
FCLB Case Number: 4798

The Board began a violation hearing on a charge that on August

19, 2010, either directly or through an employee, the licensees allegedly sold alcoholic beverages to a minor, Matthew Brian Ballintyn. Mrs. Thall swore in the licensees. (See attached Sign In Sheet). Mr. Black, the lawyer, stated that the charges against the clerk, Steven Chung, were dismissed in District Court and there was an order for the charges to be expunged from the record. He stated it would be a misdemeanor for anyone to testify regarding these charges. Mr. Black said he would object to anyone that would testify. Mrs. Thall suggested the Board take it under advisement so that she can review the information for the case to advise the Board accordingly.

**MOTION ONE:** Mr. Cline made a motion for a continuance until April 18, 2011.

**SECOND:** Mr. Snyder seconded the motion.

**VOTE:** Mr. Cline – Aye  
Mr. Snyder – Aye  
Mr. McClellan – Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 3 Nay – 0**  
**(Motion Passed)**

4. Decision Required: Approval of the Public Meeting Minutes for March 7, 2011.

The Public Meeting Minutes of March 7, 2011 were approved.

**MOTION:** Mr. Snyder made a motion to approve the minutes for March 7, 2011.

**SECOND:** Mr. Cline seconded the motion.

**FURTHER DISCUSSION**

**ON THE MOTION:** There was no further discussion on the motion.

**VOTE:** Mr. Snyder – Aye  
Mr. Cline-Aye  
Mr. McClellan-Aye

The vote was unanimous. **Aye – 3 Nay – 0**  
**(Motion Passed)**

5. Decision Required: ***The Board to go into a Closed Session***

**MOTION:** Mr. Cline made a motion for the Board to go into Closed Session to consult with legal counsel pursuant to Section 10-508(a)(7) of the State Government Article of the Maryland Annotated Code at the end of its public meeting.

**SECOND:** Mr. Snyder seconded the motion.

***FURTHER DISCUSSION***

**ON THE MOTION:** There was no further discussion on the motion.

**VOTE:** The vote was unanimous. ***Aye – 3 Nay – 0***  
***(Motion Passed)***

***ADJOURN***

The meeting was adjourned at 8:33 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathy Vahle, Administrator  
FREDERICK COUNTY LIQUOR BOARD

Prepared by Sandra Rees